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Title: Semiconductor Device with Deposited Oxide

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| TOTAL CLAIMS | 22 | MINUS | 22 | = 0 | X \$18 | \$ 0 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 4 | MINUS | 4 | = 0 | X \$86 | \$ 0 |
| [] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | | | | + \$290 | \$ 0 |
| EXTENSION FEE | 1ST MONTH \$110.00 | 2ND MONTH \$420.00 | 3RD MONTH \$950.00 | 4TH MONTH \$1480.00 | | \$ 0 |
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| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT | | | | | | \$ 0 |

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Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 31, 2004

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This communication is in response to the Office Action dated March 31,
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25 June 31, 2004. Please amend the above-identified application in accordance
the directions set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which
begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.